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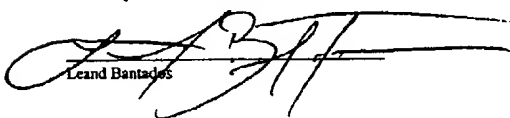
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Transmitted herewith is a Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment in the above-identified application.



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Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached: Exhibit 1



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